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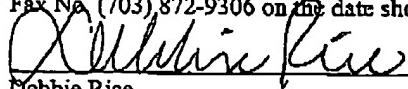
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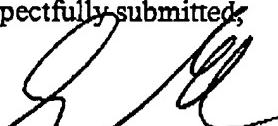
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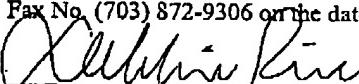


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This is further to the Official Action mailed December 15, 2004. Following this response, Claims 12-16 remain in this application.

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Amendments to the Specification are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.